



**Transfer Guide for
MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Bachelor of Science Degree
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

Admission to elementary education requires a minimum 2.00 college grade point average and can be entered any semester. If a student has completed college intermediate algebra and the first two semesters of college English, successfully completing the State Basic Skills Test before entering the program would be advisable

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For assistance with the admission process, contact your transfer counselor at the community college or the transfer admissions officer at Ferris State University, Shari Chamberlain, at 1-800-4-FERRIS, chambers@ferris.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Transfer students must be admitted (apply & be accepted) 21 days prior to the first day of the semester they plan to attend.

TRANSFER PLAN

Transfer of credit is awarded on a course-by-course basis.

Transferable courses are those with grades of “C” (2.00 on a 4.00 scale) or better.

The following is a list of courses students must complete to earn the degree. Choose two of the three minors (Integrated Science, Language Arts, and Mathematics) plus the “Planned Program” minor, the general education requirements, and the professional education course sequence. Community college equivalents are listed below and may be taken prior to transferring to Ferris. Blank spaces in the community college column indicate there are no course equivalents available.

**FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY/MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION CERTIFICATION**

ENDORSEMENT: ZG

MTTC: 83

NAME: _____ **SN:** _____

**LANGUAGE ARTS MINOR
25 SEMESTER HOURS**

ENDORSEMENT: BX

MTTC: 90

| REQUIRED | | | SEM. HOURS | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|---------------------------|------------|----------|-------|
| EDLA | 207 | Emergent Literacy | 3 | | |
| EDLA | 222 | Text and the Child | 4 | | |
| ENGL | 301 | Linguistics | 3 | | |
| LITR | 326 | Children's Literature | 3 | ENGL 256 | |
| EDLA | 340 | Writer's Workshop | 3 | | |
| LITR | 380 | World Folk Literature | 3 | | |
| EDLA | 342 | Reader Response | 3 | | |
| EDLA | 476 | Inquiry in K-8 Classrooms | 3 | | |
| | | TOTAL | 25 | | |

NOTE: (1) GPA of 3.0 must be obtained in all required courses, (2) a minimum of C in any individual course (or transfer equivalents) within the minor, and (3) a minimum of B in ENGL 150 and ENGL 250 (general education requirements or their transfer equivalents).

**INTEGRATED SCIENCE MINOR
25 SEMESTER HOURS**

ENDORSEMENT: DI

MTTC: 93

| REQUIRED | | COURSE TITLE | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|---|------|----------|-------|
| BIOL | 103 | Basic Biological Concepts | 4 | BIOL 152 | |
| PHSC | 110 | Inquiry into the Earth System | 4 | | |
| PHSC | 115 | Inquiry into Physical Science | 4 | | |
| GEOL | 221 | History of the Earth | 3 | | |
| INBI | 303 | Ecology: Interconnections Between Disciplines | 4 | | |
| INPS | 320 | Integrating the Physical Sciences | 3 | | |
| PHYS | 450 | Science Laboratory | 3 | | |
| | | Total | 25 | | |

Note: A 2.75 GPA is required in the above minor. No grades lower than a C. A minimum of 6 credit hours of science coursework at the upper level (300+) must be earned at Ferris State University.

The University MACRAO policy will not apply to this program

MATH MINOR
25 SEMESTER HOURS

ENDORSEMENT: EX
MTTC: 89

| REQUIRED | | | SEM. HOURS | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|--|------------|----------|-------|
| MATH | 135 | Calculus for the Life Science | 3 | MATH 156 | |
| MATH | 218 | Math for Elementary Teachers I | 3 | MATH 166 | |
| MATH | 219 | Math for Elementary Teachers II | 3 | | |
| MATH | 317 | Geometry for Elementary and Middle School Teachers | 3 | | |
| MATH | 318 | Probability and Statistics for Teachers | 3 | | |
| MATH | 319 | Math Modeling - Problem Solving | 3 | | |
| MATH | 326 | Discrete Mathematics for Teachers | 3 | | |
| MATH | 418 | Teaching Elementary Middle School Mathematics | 3 | | |
| | | Total | 24 | | |

Note: A 2.75 GPA is required in the above minor. No grades lower than a C.

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PLANNED PROGRAM MINOR (23-35 HOURS)

| REQUIRED | | PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|------|--|------|----------|-------|
| ARTS | 131* | Art for the Elementary Teacher | 1 | | |
| MUSI | 131* | Music for the Elementary Teacher | 1 | | |
| HIST | 121 | U.S. History to 1877 | 3 | HIST 154 | |
| HIST | 122 | U.S. History from 1877 | 3 | HIST 155 | |
| GEOG | 100 | Geography of World Regions | 3 | | |
| PLSC | 121 | American Government 1: People and Politics | 3 | | |
| ECON | 221 | Principles of Economics 1 | 3 | ECON 251 | |

IF YOUR MINOR IS INTEGRATED SCIENCE, DISREGARD THE FOLLOWING:

| REQUIRED | | PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|-------------------------------|------|------|-------|
| PHSC | 110 | Inquiry into Earth Systems | 4 | | |
| PHSC | 115 | Inquiry into Physical Science | 4 | | |
| BIOL | 103 | Biological Concepts | 4 | | |

IF YOUR MINOR IS LANGUAGE ARTS, DISREGARD THE FOLLOWING:

| REQUIRED | | PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|------------------------|------|----------|-------|
| LITR | 326 | Children's Literature | 3 | ENGL 256 | |
| ENGL | 301 | Linguistics | 3 | | |
| LITR | 380 | World Folk Literature | 3 | | |

IF YOUR MINOR IS IN MATHEMATICS, DISREGARD THE FOLLOWING:

| REQUIRED | | PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|---------------------------------|------|----------|-------|
| MATH | 115 | Intermediate Algebra | 3 | MATH 151 | |
| MATH | 218 | Math for Elementary Teachers I | 3 | MATH 156 | |
| MATH | 219 | Math for Elementary Teachers II | 3 | MATH 166 | |

Remaining General Education Requirements

(not fulfilled by the minors)

| REQUIRED | | | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|--|------|----------------------|-------|
| ENGL | 150 | English 1 | 3 | ENGL 151 | |
| ENGL | 250 | English 2 | 3 | ENGL 152 | |
| COMM | | Inter Comm (COMM 105) OR Fund of Public Speaking (COMM 121) | 3 | SPCH 151, 152 OR 155 | |
| ENGL | 321 | Advanced Composition | 3 | | |
| | | TOTAL | 12 | | |

* Course is not required for students who are enrolled in the Early Childhood minor.

NOTE: A 2.75 GPA is required in the Planned Program Minor.

Note: Though faculty advisors are responsible for advising students regarding degree requirements, it is the student who is ultimately responsible for choosing the correct courses and for following the correct program. No Grade Lower than a C.

The University MACRAO and Associate Degree policies will not apply to this program due to programmatic requirements.

**THE FOLLOWING MINOR IS AN OPTIONAL ADDITION TO
EARNING THE TWO SUBJECT MINORS REQUIRED FOR
ACHIEVING THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BACHELOR OF
SCIENCE DEGREE.**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD MINOR
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

ENDORSEMENT: ZA

(27 Credits)

MTTC: 82

| REQUIRED | | Course Title | S.H. | MCCC | GRADE |
|----------|-----|---|------|----------------|-------|
| EDCD | 104 | Child Development Practicum (co-requisite: EDCD 105) | 1 | | |
| EDCD | 105 | Child Development Leadership (co-requisite: EDCD 104) | 3 | | |
| EDCD | 110 | Child Development I | 3 | | |
| EDCD | 111 | Child Development II (can be taken prior to EDCD 110) | 3 | ECDV 105 & 106 | |
| EDCD | 160 | Education of Children (offered winter semester only) | 3 | | |
| EDCD | 210 | Infant-Toddler Environment & Curriculum (offered winter only) | 4 | | |
| EDCD | 211 | Children's Activities (offered fall semester only) | 4 | | |
| EDCD | 285 | Child Development Internship Orientation | 1 | | |
| EDCD | 291 | Child Development Internship (minimum B-) | 4 | ECDV 218 | |
| EDCD | 298 | Internship Seminar (must be taken with EDCD 291) (minimum B-) | 1 | | |

* Successful completion of this minor will result in a Z.A. Endorsement on your elementary education teaching certificate. You must take and pass the Michigan Test for Teacher Certification (Early Childhood) before applying for your ZA endorsement.

* This optional minor is an addition to the two subject minors required for the Elementary Education program.

The University MACRAO policy will not apply to this program

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY/MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
College of Education & Human Services - School of Education
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE - ELEMENTARY
Professional Sequence

| REQUIRED | | Level I Professional Education Prerequisite Courses Teacher Education Candidates | S.H | MCCC | GRADE |
|--|-----|--|------|-----------|-------|
| Note: Students seeking admission to teacher education candidacy must meet all university requirements for admission to the specific program they wish to enter. | | | | | |
| EDUC | 101 | Introduction to the Profession of Teaching | 1 | | |
| EDUC | 251 | Life Span Human Growth & Development* | 3 | PSYCH 254 | |
| EDUC | 289 | Principles of Teaching & Learning | 3 | | |
| REQUIRED | | Level II Professional Education Courses | S.H | MCCC | GRADE |
| Note: Prior to admission to the Teacher Education Program and Level II courses, students must pass all sections of the Basic Skills Test and complete Level II Application. | | | | | |
| EDUC | 303 | School, Work, and Society | 3 | | |
| EDUC | 413 | Instructional Planning & Delivery for Elementary Education [Recommended co-requisite: LITR 326 and EDUC 420 [Application for field experience required]] | 4 | | |
| EDUC | 415 | Teaching Strategies for Special Education and Diverse Populations (pre-req. EDUC 413) | 3 | | |
| EDUC | 420 | Teaching Reading in the Elementary/Middle School I [Prerequisite or co-requisite: EDUC 413] | 3 | | |
| [It is strongly recommended that EDUC 421, 431, 432, and 433 be taken concurrently] | | | | | |
| EDUC | 421 | Teaching Reading in the Elementary/Middle School II Prerequisite: EDUC 420 Co-requisite: EDUC 431 and/or EDUC 432 | 3 | | |
| [NOTE: If taking EDUC 421, 431 & 432 in same semester, EDUC 433 must also be taken.] | | | | | |
| EDUC | 431 | Methods of Integrating, Teaching, and Evaluating Language Arts and Social Studies in the Elementary/Middle School Prerequisite or co-requisite: EDUC 421 [Application for field experience required] | 3 | | |
| EDUC | 432 | Methods of Integrating, Teaching, and Evaluating Math and Science in the Elem/M. School Prerequisite or co-requisite: EDUC 421 [Application for field experience required] | 3 | | |
| EDUC | 433 | Methods of Integrating, Teaching, and Evaluating, Health & P.E. in the Elementary/Middle School Co-requisite: EDUC 431 or EDUC 432 | 3 | | |
| Level III Professional Education Courses | | | | | |
| EDUC | 493 | Elementary/Middle Directed Teaching [Co-requisite: EDUC 499] Application Required | 6-12 | | |
| EDUC | 499 | Professional Seminar [Co-requisite: EDUC 493] | 2 | | |
| Total | | | 46 | | |

NOTE: A 2.75 GPA is required in your planned program minor and in the professional education course sequence, a 2.50 cumulative GPA is also required before directed and intern teaching, students must obtain the appropriate GPA for their major(s)/minor(s) as established by each department. *NOTE: ECHE minors will replace EDUC 251 with EDCD 110 and 111 in Level I. NOTE: Though faculty advisors are responsible for advising students regarding degree requirements, it is the student who is ultimately responsible for choosing the correct courses and for following the correct program. **No Grade Lower than a C.**

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